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# PROSPECTS OF SETTLING CONTROVERSY IN IRELAND

Observers Notice a Considerable Change for the Better Since St. Patrick's Day-Bets Are Being Offered That Peace Will Be Brought About Before August-Assertion is Made That the Sinn Fein Would Be Willing to Negotiate Peace on the Basis of Full Dominion-British Government Fears an Overwhelming Sinn Fein Victory in Election of Members to the Southern Parliament.

IRISH LABOR PARTY TO

PEONAGE NOT WIDESPREAD

nent tonight.

the bureau of investigation of the de-partment of justice here, said in a state-

This office receives and investigates

heartedly back of our efforts to stamp out peonage."

Trenton, N. J., April 3.—Right Rev. Monsigner John H. Fox, vicar general of

the Trenton diocese of New Jersey in an address at a corner stone laying today

of the Blessed Sacrament church and

evil under prohibition than when the use

of liquor was regulated.

He also opposed the teaching of eugenics in public schools, asserting that the young mind was not fitted to properly deal with these subjects.

BESIST ANY WAGE REDUCTION Boston, April 3.—International presidents of unions affected by recent an-

GIANT HYDRO-AIRPLANI

Milan, April 3.—The giant hydre-air-plane of Glanni Caproni, which it had been hoped would be able to accomplish the trans-Atlantic flight but which fell

into Lake Maggiore during a recent trial flight, has been burned.

Banger, Me., April 3,-The first Penel

BOSTON PRINTERS VOTE TO

LAYING OF CORNER STONE

BAPPED PROHIBITION AT

ISSUE MANIFESTO TODAY

Dublin, April 3.—(By The A. P.) The spinon was expressed today by competent peace on the basis of a tsauss of full dominion. A rumor that the pail Elreann has appointed a committee to negociate with former enemy countries is denied. ago Dublin derided the peace prophets, but foday predictions that there will be a settlement of the controversy in the pear future tre universal. Lloyds de-clined to accept bets offered during the mack that peace will be brought about

before August.

Oniwardly conditions have not improved. There has been no cessation of warfare in any part of the disturbed distinct field, and the trouble is spreading to Ulagran and the condition of the disturbed distinct for a long time. The manifesto state Hughes would formally open the ster.

warfare in any part of the disturbed districts, and the trouble is spreading to Ulstice.

Factors serving to stimulate the optimistic view of the situation are the frank admission of Premier Lioyd George of the government's faiture to soive the list problem; the appointment of a Catholic viceruy; Eamonn De Valera's latest profouncements, which are interpreted as showing the willingness of the Sinn Fein for what is deemed a reasonable componise; England's internal troubies, which are declared up to intensified by the coal strike; the repudiation of the partitions of the manifest of the workers.

Sume that the "state of war" will continue. The manifesto declares are program for the Irish conference on the second day of the convention, unless some unforeseen circumstance should detain him in Washington.

This important gathering," a statement said, "which will be the first of its kind ever held in this country, if not in the world, has been arranged in order that representatives of other nations may have an opportunity to explain to the men most intimately concerved in financing and extending our foreign trade, how the constructive forces of the United which are declared up be intensified by the coal strike; the repudiation of the partition act by southern Ireland; the admitted difficulty of establishing the Uister parliament; the significance attached in Ireland to the report of the American committee of one hundred; President

| President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President | President committee of one hundred; President Harding's reported endormement of the American relief committee's campaign, and a rumer that United States Senator Kanyon is coming to Ireland as President Harding's representative to make an integration.

Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds, an insurance agent, and another prisoner in the same lorry with Bernard Nolan of Dublin, were deliberately shot by crown forces Friday night, according to a charge made provides in a dying statement to his

American relief committee's campaign, and a rumor that United States Senator Kanyon is coming to Ireland as President Harding's representative to make an investigation.

Government circles do not conceal their anxiety over the prospect that the Sinn Peing will sweep southern freiand and win in overwhelming majority of the seats in the southern partiament. With the national states and Sinn Feiners cooperating in the most in the substance Company, the offices of which have frequently been raided by the military during the last two months. The horizonth is recognized as fraught with political hazards. Many and the two men arrested. Miss Reynolds spread to extend the credit that is so assential. The National Association of Manufacturers comprised Rathfarnham, three miles south of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds, and nother prisoner in the same lorry with Bernard Nolan of Rathfarnham, three miles south of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds, and insurance agent, and another prisoner in the same lorry with Bernard Nolan of Rathfarnham, three miles south of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds, and insurance agent, and another prisoner in the same lorry with Bernard Nolan of Rathfarnham, three miles south of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds, and insurance agent, and another prisoner in the same lorry with Bernard Nolan of Rathfarnham, three miles south of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds in admontance agent, and another prisoner in the same lorry with Bernard Nolan of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds and Nolan of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds and south of Dublin April 3.—Christopher Reynolds and holds of Dublin, April 3.—Christopher Reynolds and holds of Dublin April 3.—Christopher Reynolds and holds of Dublin April 3.—Christopher Reynolds and holds of Dublin April 4.—Christopher Reynolds a persons continue to express the belief that said the raiders numbered fourteen and special information section will be arrivable to establish the parliament and endeavor to arrange a truce before the date of the plections.

It is confidently asserted here that the to escape. Nolan is expected to recover.

Stephen C. Mason, president of the associations of the associations of the associations.

FORMAL STATEMENT MADE BY PRESIDENT OF MEXICO

Mexico City, April 1.—(By the A. P.)—
Twave examples of Mexico's effort to "obtain legistimate practice among the othor nations of the world' wate enumerated
by President Obregon today in a formal
sizement given to foreign correspond-

The president began his statement by declaring that the present regime in Mex-leo "is following a line of c. nduct in ab-solute accord with the precepts of Morals with a series of acts which have taken place within the past few months and which wil not be interrupted until its noble purposes have been fulfilled."

one of the examples of the policy of the present administration cited by President Obregon was the calling of an extraordinary sees on of congress, "during which the principal reforms of a legal character will be discussed and promule character will be discussed and promul-

Recarding Mexico's foreign debt, the president's statement said: "An invita-tion has been extended to all holders of r exterior debt, asking them to appoint their representatives and enter into arrangements with the government concerning all its debts, upos the masis that this government will not use any subterfact or evasions, but, on the contrary, will base its settlement upon an ample spirit of equity, such as has served heretofore as the standard for all its acts, antil they be completely satisfied."

### PUBLICATION OF STILLMAN DIVORCE LETTERS EXPECTED

ite Plains, N. Y., April 3.-Publica n of letters and testimony in the di-see proceeding instituted by James AA. Ilman, president of the National City Stillman, president of the National City Stillman, president of the National City Stillman, president of the National City of narrow-minded persons who would have use the Chief Justice Morchauser reopens the Large is they had turned their attention of effect his recent decision fixing allmost of the properties of \$15,000 for Mrs. Stillman.

Mrs. Stillman, is expected precedure with an analysis of liquor and the fully recognized the evils of liquor and the trail of the unhappiness its abuse left. The way to overcome this, he asserted, was not through religious training and the elevation of the people to a higher moral plane. He said he had witnessed more drunkennss and more with under prohibition than when the use

fing the alleged "confession star Mrs. Stillman is said to have writ-en. In the case of an appeal, it is nec-mary that copies of the documents be resided for inspection of the court attor-rage and other interested parties.

action to appeal is taken as coun-effort to have admitted Mrs. Still-letter, and others alleged to have near's letter, and onces allowed writter to her by Fred Beauvals, are presented in the suit, and to fight less allowed by the judge, which they deduce are excessive.

# PREEK WOUNDED ARE

uss, Asia Minor, April 13. Mony sods of Greek wounded are being the here; the total number is of n, nor is it confirmed that it Toria tave esptured two Greek divisions

The narrow gauge rallway between Union No. 13 today it was voted to re-dustilating Bruss its clutter with the standard was wage reduction. roops. The city is relatively only.

e country has been revived by rains
the awakening of spring the search the awakening of sprine the near-are seen working in the fill a kix-the carffi and thanking. "In for the drain and also pray in passe the riddance from the lan of the re marching across for a new war,

### DESCONDENT MAN HANGED HIMBELP IN NEW HAVEN

awged himself in the cellar of his here today. He was said to have despondent because he could not find genent. He leaves a widow and five meelf in the cellar of his

# Coal is Rationed in the British Isles

Feeling Prevails That Transport Workers Will Support Strike of Coal Miners.

London, April 3 .- The board of trade issued official orders today rationing and reducing coal for the British Isles. The gulations are virtually identical wose issued during the strike in 1919. Sunday was given up to meetings of the miners, railwaymen and transport work-ers throughout the country. These meet-ings were called for the purpose of giv-ing directions for the triple alliance conference Wednesday. Judy by the resolutions adopted and the seeches delivolutions adopted and the . eeches deliv-ered, a strong feeling prevails in favor of a strike of the rallwaymen and transport workers to support the miners.

### CONVENTION OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS

New York, April 3. - Ambassadors ministers and commercial representa-tives of more than thirty nations have accepted the invitation of the National Association of Manufacturers to attend a conference of ambassadors and ministers on world trade during the association's Dublin, April 3 .- (By The A. P.) The

the constructive forces of the United States may co-ordinate best to serve the needs of the world.

"There will be discussions of the best

SHOT BY CROWN FORCES methods to meet the demands of Europand other countries for raw manufac-tured materials and to extend the credit Dublin, April 3 .- Christopher Reynolds,

factor session of the conference will be devoted, it was stated, to a particular group of nations and each will have an honorary chalman, one of the ambassadors from that group of nations, a special information section will be arranged, where each country may have on exhibition special literature or spe-

ociation, will preside at the five ses-dors of the conference.
"The fundamental accessity" Mr. Ma-"The fundamental accessity" Mr. Mason said, "is to meet the needs of
Europe in raw and manufactured materials and machinery, so that she can
take up again her productive activities
without assuming an intolerable burden of immediate obligations.

"American manufacturers alone can
meet these needs on bases of credit
which will enable Europe and the rest
of the world to resume their interpedent
commerce and thus restore employment IN THE STATE OF GEORGIA Atlanta, Va., April 3 .- On the basis of complaints received peonage in this state is not widespread in the sense of being statewise. Vincent Hughes head of

commerce and thus restore employment and its consequent increased consump-tion power." every complaint of peonage arising in the

### territory comprising almost the whole state of Georgia, but we find ourselves handicapped in handling many of these CHARGED WITH RESISTING complaints because the law is not broad enough," says the statement. FEDERAL PROHIBITION AGENTS

enough," says the statement.

"The technical crime of peonage is only committed when involuntary servitude exists on a basis of debts, and many negroes are held in servitude through fear and other coercion, penyaps more so than for debt.

"Judging from the reports we receive a far greater part of Georgia is free from the practice which seems to center in two or three sore spots where social conditions are less advanced. Most of the peonage victims are country negroes.

The federal agents is that the bulk of many blows were struck. The federal men also claim that liquor was poured into a sink after they entered the place. The three Arenas were held in \$1,000 bonds each for the federal authorities. My impression is that the bulk of George white residents are guiltless of intentional violations of the peonage law. just as my experience leads me to believe that the bulk of write citizens are whole

### INTERCOLLEGIATE LIBERAL LEAGUE HAS BEEN ORGANIZED

Cambridge, Mass, April 2:—The Inter-collegiate Liberal League, an organization which through liberal clubs in colleges and universities plans "to create among college, man and ways to the liberal college." college men and women an intelligent in terest in the problems of the day," wa organized at Harvard university today by 250 students representing 27 education institutions,

school, rapped prohibition, declaring, it had been adoped "through the activity of narrow-minded persons who would In announcing its purpose the league said it proposed "to bring about the fair and open-minded consideration of social industrial, political and international questions by groups of college students."

### AUTO PLUNGED OVER PRECIPICE: OCCUPANTS ONLY SCRATCHED

After plunging in an automobile 250 feet down a precipice near Gate City. Virginia, and escaping with only scratches, the members of a party of young persons were fined in the Gate City po-lice court on charges of disorderly con-duct. The automobile was demolished.

# OBITUARY

Anne Louise Cary Norwalk, April 3 .- Annie Louise Cary, famous prima donna of 50 years ago, died at her home here today. She was the widow of Charles M. Raymond, a former

Boston, April 3.—International presidents of unions affected by recent an nouncement of the Boston Typothetae of a reduction of wages in the parting trades here, today characterized the action of the employers as a lockout. In telegrams received today by local unions leaders the international officers the total number is of the total number as at confirmed that if Tar as two Greek divisions are two Greek wounted the two Greek divisions are two Greek divisions are two Greek wounted the two Greek divisions are two Greek wounted the two Greek divisions are two Greek wounted the

The first public appearance 1873 she created the role of Princess Ameris in the initial presentation in this country of Aida. In 1874 Miss Cary went abroard and appeared in opera with Adeina Patti. She returned to America in 1876 and sang many times until she retired from opera in 1881.

Among others she had appeared with were Lucca, Gerster, Kellogg, Campanini and Carletti Patti. She sang on the consoot salmon of the season was sent by cert stage for a Mayor Goods tonight to President Hard-ing. The fish, which weighed sixteen Raymond in 1882. pounds, was taken from Banger peel on Arrangements for Saturday, stage for a year and retired from essional life when she married Mr.

Arrangements for the funeral have not

## Brie egrams

Wilson, N. C., claims to be the world's greatest leaf tobacco market by of more than \$2,000,000 pounds.

Employment in Cieveland increased 24 per cent: in March as a result of automobile plants reopening.

Beer drinking in Germany has fallen off more than 75,000,000 gallons a year, compared with pre-war consumption.

British Columbia legislature defeated he bill permitting the sale of 7 per cent. beer in the province.

The impression gained ground at the White House hat Myron T. Herrick of Ohio would be selected as ambassador to

A charter was filed a the state depart-ment at Dover, Del., for Durang Motors, Incorporated, with an authorized capital of \$100,000,000. Starr J. Murphy, personal counsel and adviser of John D. Rockefeller, Sr., is

seriously fil at Ormond, Fla., according to reports received. A commission has left Christiania for Washington to adjust the Norwegian claim of \$14,000,000 for ships requisitioned during the war.

According to the Kansas banking com-missioner deflation caused a decline in deposits of Kansas banks amounting to \$35,000,000 during last year.

Three hundred and five men wer rested on charges of gambling in Detroit when police raided four athletic clubs and one other establishments.

James H. White, president of the Wilcox and White company and widely known in the nano industry, ded suddenly

All the clocks in the United Kingdon were set forward an hour at 2 a. m., yes-terday. This will be the sixth year for daylight saving there.

Appointment of Professor Heber H. brother-in-law of Hirding, as superintendent of federal prisons was announced by the

Wisconsin as temporary supply for a Broken Bow, Neb., church, is in the county jail on a charge of violation of the Mann act. the Mann act.

Strike of 16,600 employes in the white bia. goods industry in New York city was averted through acceptance by manufacturers of the unions' demands for an agreement not to reduce wages.

British Columbia's new liquor control aw will become effective May 1. A sound of three commissioners, one a returned soldier, will be appointed to minister the act.

tries, as a reprisal for the occupation of naturalist.

The eighth game in the international chess match between Lasker of Germany ond Capablance of Cuba, was adjourned early this morning after thirty moves had been made. Place will be the burial spot.

Back of the grave, which was blasted been made. Play will be resumed Tuesday night.

completed a life size porrtait of General Pershing which will hang in the Legion Legion of Honor palace to be erected in Lincoln Park, San Francisco,

ers to set aside the sale of the Denver and Rio Grande railroad to the Western Pacific Railroad company was dismissed by Judge Lewis in the federal district

The United Building Trades Council of Boston accepted the \$1 an hour proposi-tion, made by the state board of concillation and arbitration, pending adjustment REDUCTION IN WAGES of their differences with the employers.

BY U. S. STEEL CO

Samuel Rembrandt, a Cleveland attor ney, was sentenced to three years in the federal penitentisry at Atlanta and fined \$5,000 by Judge Westenhaver. He was convicted a week ago of attempting to bribe Prohibition Commissioner Fred

J. Herman Wharton, dean of the College of Business Administration, Syracuse University, was shot and killed by Holmes Beckwith, professor of financial and insurance subjects in the college. Beckwith then turned the gun on trimself and committed micide. and committed suicide.

Sick folks apparently are making increasing use of French champagne since prohibition went into effect. At least,it can be imported only for medicinal purposes and department of commerce fig ures show importations to the value o \$384,391 in 1920 against \$1,158 in 1919.

A convention of liberal students repre-senting many colleges in the country opened at Harvard University Saturday. A convention of liberal students represent the French feel that American view senting many colleges in the country could not have been more clearly expensed at Harvard University Saturday.

Rev. J. Wesley Twelves, rector of St. Thomas Episcopal church, Bethel, announced his acceptance of a call to be carried over the splendid reception according to orders issued today by Rancord according to orders issued today by Rancord for the Which has been given M. Viviani in the Holy Apostles, Brooklyn, N. Y.

In HARTFORD A Fail 1.—It is specially indepted to the country could not have been more clearly expensed for the country could not have been more clearly expensed at Harvard University Saturday. Hartford, April 2.—The state encample ican nivelology; has the confidence of the local property of the Grand Army of the Republic in this city April 14 and 15.

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# **Charles Yearns for Restoration to Throne**

Is Simulating Illness in Order to Delay His Expulsion From Hungary.

Vienna, April 3.—(By The A. P.)—
Former Emperor Charles is ill at Steinamaster, according to reports reaching entents diplomate nero. The report is cultien with a request for an alice physican to go to Steina ast. There is some indimension here to tegard the indisposition of Charles as "diplomatic libess" contracted in orgard the indisposition of Charles as "diplomatic illness," contracted in order that the former emperor may obtain a further delay in leaving Staleamanger. The postponement in the depurture of Charles is beginning to cause irritation here, as well as in Prague and Reigrade. According to dispatches from the latter places there are indications that carly steps may be taken to hasten the departure of Charles.

The belief prevails in some quarters that Charles may start for Switzerland.

that Charles may start for Switzerland tonight, now that the transportation dif-ficulties have been settled. But this is still collingent on possible developments at Steinamanger, where it is reported that large numbers of members of the nobility are arriving. The little town is crowded with Hungarian Notables in numbers never before known in its his-

It foreign circles here it is asserted that Charles will resist remova, pending. Tuesday's meeting of parliament. Count Wndrassy is staid to be advoitly trying to save the day for the Hapsburgs by inducing Charles to abdicate in favor of Archduke Otto, his nine year old son, under a resence.

under a regency. The difficulty of getting the former king out of Hungary is said to be due to differences between the various interests in charge of the situation. It is understood that the socialists have firmly maintained the position that two of their army officers and six men should accompany Charles in order to coatinue the fiction that he is a prisoner. The abied officials and the Higgarians, supported old time cafes along the "gay white officials and the Hifigarians, supported way" in New York are gradually drying by the Austrian police, refused this as up under prohibition, but on the swarming East Side saloons still are flourishing. Certain allied officers last night agreed that associates and Hungari-Completion of a fund of \$25,000 for the construction of a Memorial Athletic Fe'd in honor of the New Hampshire college men who fell in the Great War was an-

### COBMER-EMPEROR CHARLES OF HUNGARY IS "THRONE SICK"

Steinamanger, Hungary, April 3 (By the A. P.) .- Former Emperor Charles is ill with bronchitis. He is suffering from fever and is having nervous coughing at-tacks, according to a bulletin issued today

George Curtls Walde, Sr., for \$2 years editor of the Bridgeport Standard Gled in Bridgeport. He was born in Lynn, Mass, in 1837, and was graduated from Tufts dependent party, who was recently expelled from Italy, has been given permission by the government to reside in Ser-

# BIRDS SING THE REQUIEM

Roxbury, N. Y., April 3 .- The body Roxbury, N. Y., April 3.—The body of program, officials said, is in the hands
John Burroughs was laid to rest this afof the war finance corporation which is
ternoon on the mountainside where he expected to aid the exporters through
was born exactly \$4 years ago. From the corporations organized under the Edge
peaks and the valleys of his beloved act in different sections of the country,
Catskill mountains came hundreds of in addition, formation of combinations for
neighbors to pay him the final honors, extending foreign commerce under the
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rocky mountains to Roxbury was dotted foreign exporters.

Back of the grave, which was blasted from solid rock, was the clump of woods where Mr. Burroughs hunted the fox and observed the birds during his youth and Arthur Cahill of San Francisco has old age. Near by the weather-blackened house in which he was born could be seen. In an opening in the woods a few hun-dred yards away was the house where Jay Gould, childhood playmate of Burroughs and later a great railroad man, was born. Beyond it, the schoolhouse where both men gained their first know-

Thirty police officers, with bloodhoudes were endeavoring to trail a man who last night shot and killed Miss Alice Byxbee of Fresno while she was passing through a park on her way to a party.

Five bandits held up E. C. Hobart, an Steel Products of Fresno Steel Products and Harvey S. Firestone. They were both men gained to be ledge from books.

Down the slope a few yards distant was "Woodchuck lodge," where Mr. Burroughs occasionally became host to his close friends, Thomas A. Edison, Henry Pord and Harvey S. Firestone. They stood beside the grave today and when stood beside the grave today and when the stood of the stood official of the Michigan Steel Products stood beside the grave today and when company, in Hamtranck, a subjust of stood beside the grave today and when Detroit, robbed him of his automobile the ceremony was ended paid a visit to the spivan "lodge."

Ancillary action brought by stockholdrs to set aside the sale of the Denver acific Railroad company was dismissed by Judge Lewis in the federal district out a Denver Col.

the sylvan "lodge." 
were a few short prayers followed by the recitation of poems. Some of the lines were dedicated to Mr. Burroughs and one of the poems had been written on the pourt at Denver. Col. ham.

ing trees birds were singing the requiem of the man who understood them.

tion and arbitration, pending adjustment of their differences with the employers, tiontdelpemoconHfoncoN. 1

Monsignor 7. J. Flingerald, paster of the Caurch of the Sacred Heart, Rediands, Califf., reported he had been notified that his nephew, William McCarthy, has been executed at Tralee, County Kerry, Ireland, on a charge of treason.

Schonebrunn, the imperial chaican where once dwelf Maria Theresa and where Napoleon Bonaparte planemed his 1805 and 1809 campalgns in Austria, will be turned over to the people of Vienna as a public monument and recreation ground.

Samuel Rembrandt, a Cleveland afterney, was sentenced to three years in the content of their content of the people of their content of their content of their content of the people of their content of their content of their content of their content of the content of the people of their content of the people of their content of their content of the people of their content of their content of their content of the people of their content of their content of the people of their content of the people of their content of the people of their content of their content of the people of their content of the people of their conte

(Al F.) Field, premier of American min-strels, died at his home here today, his death resulting from Bright's disease. Born seventy-two years ago in Leesburg, Va., Mr. Fields in 1836 entered the thea-

Paris. April 3.—French of michi crees are extremely well pleased over the American government's declaration concerning Germany's war responsibility. Such a declaration was anticipated, but the French feel that American view could not have been more clearly expressed nor more to the liking of the

# CONVENTION OF AGENTS OF 175,000 RAILROAD EMPL

Decided to Call Upon National and International Railroad Unions to Sanction the Formation of District "Offensive and Defensive" Alliances-Delegates to the Convention Represented All Local Railroad Unions in the Greater New York District.

New York, April 3 .- (By The A. P.) - | those in Newark, Arenton, Hoboken, Jer-Representatives of 175,090 organized sey City. Paterson and so far west as Easton, Pa., all Long Gand points, and railroad employes in special convention here today called upon the executive heads of the recognized national and international railroad unions to sanction the formation of district "offensive and defensive alliances — railroad district councilis—in the New York district and at other "strategic points in the railroad employes the working conditions and the standard of living that they are so justly entitled to." "We further believe that it would be to the executive union officials, to enable the present existing pact between the 16 or

roading Industry."

These district organizations are necessary, it was stated in a letter sent to the executive union officials, to enable the railroad employes "to better resist the concentrated attacks of the railroad executive association" and "to bring about a closer affiliation of all railroad employes and perfect a 100 per cent organization in all crafts by stimulating interest in their own welfare and educating them in the value of solidarity."

Delegates to the convention, who represented all local railroad unions in the Greater New York district, urged that "a state of status quo should be declared by American Federation of Labor so as to clear the way, and make it possible for what are now commonly known as the transformation brotherhoods to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor."

More than 250 representatives of local unions in the result of the several national unions in the district, councils in reflect.

Formation of the district, councils was declared to be "imperative at this member of concentrated opposition on file with the American Federation of Labor."

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More than 250 representatives of local unions in the New York district at tended the convention which was called by district officers of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes

This district is regarded by the union leaders as one of the largest and first strategic in the United States, as it road shop laborers locals was authorional about New York city and Brooklyn, but for final action on the proposal.

### PLAN TO PROTECT AMERICAN WAR-BORN DYE INDUSTRY

Washington, April 3 .- Defence of the Washington, April 3.—Defence of the nation's war-born dye industry against Columbus were congratulated by Vice competition of the German dye and chemples of Columbus were congratulated by Vice competition of the German dye and chemples of Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by the department of commerce in conference here with representatives of American Figure 1 and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congratulated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congrated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congrated by Vice President Coolidge on their educational and hospitalization work and thanked by Columbus were congrated by Columbus were con

OF NATURALIST BURROUGHS for building up cotton exports,

The credit angle in the trade revival relief council,
bury, N. Y., April 3.—The body of program, officials said, is in the hands "By feeding thing the ening a boycott of the winer, liquors and Others from far-off corners of the nation Webb-Pomerene act has been advocated cigars produced by former enemy counnaturalist.

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# OF DISABLED SOLDIERS

New York, April 3 .- Severe criticism of the government departments which have had to do with the care and compensacomprehensive report made public here today by the American Legion committee investigating committee, which for the past several weeks has been engaged in

soldlers."

The committee urged immediate legis-lation to consolidate the bureau of war-risk insurance, the rehabilitation division of the federal board for vocational train-with alarm by the Sero-ans and Husing and that part of the United States health service which relates to the care of former service men and women.

# ENGAGED TO PRINCESS XENIA

Athens, April 3.-William B. Leeds, on of Princess Anastasia of Greece, who

# JOIN AMERICAN PORCES personnel for military aviation.

Va., Mr. Fleids in 1838 entered the theatrical business, organizing a ministrel show which was operated continuously since that time.

Mr. Fleid was a former high national officer of the Elks and widely known in Masonic circles. The funeral will be held here Tuesday afternoon.

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### COOLIDGE AND HOOVER PRAISE THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Washington, April 3.-The Knights of

German industry, especially as a factor in foreign trade, department officials said tonight, must be taken into account by American interests in order that the industry may be secure here and the country remain independent of foreign gources of supply.

Other American products needing the cooperation of the government in the fields of foreign trade, according to Secretary Hoover, will be given the attention of the department one at a time. Mr. Hoover is to meet with the war finance corporation and southern bankers tomorrow in ah effort to develop workable plan for building up cotton exports.

When Supremo Knight James A. Fincherity explained that the board was obliged to hold many of its sessions on Sunday, Vice President Counded said:

The \$00,000 members of the Knights of Columbus, Secretary Hoover said are known to be united against anarchy and disorder, but you could not possibly and disorder.

izations united with you in the European "By feeding these children America is

"knights o fplety and patriotism."

# CLAIMED BY THE TURKS

Constantinople, April 3.—(By The A. P.)—The Greeks have been completely defeated by the Turks in the battle a Eski-Shehr, says a communication is-sued by the headquarters of Mustapha Keral Pasha, the Turkish

says that the battle on the Eski-Sh hr front lasting nine days has been cou-ciuded, Biledilk being recaptured and the Greeks retreating, in the direction of

past several weeks has been engaged in examining disabled soldiers and looking into government hospital conditions.

"The testimony reads," said Colonel C. W. Wickersham, chairman of the committee, "more like the record of some medieval story of torture and neglect than a modern day hearing concerning the gratitude of a great republic to its soldiers."

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naionalist leader, has issued a manifes a saying: "This is the last war for the preservation of the empire. Every Turk must enroll or be excuted as a traitor."

### FRANCE LEADS ALL NATIONS IN AEBIAL NAVIGATION

VETERAN MINSTREL, DEAD

Leads, who is nineteen, is proceeding to London to obtain a new wardrobe and will return to Athens in a fortal and will re

hich Bergdoll fied.

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IN HARTFORD APRIL 14-15 speaks Spanish; understands the Mer-